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☆少年は"冒険者"をめざす!!
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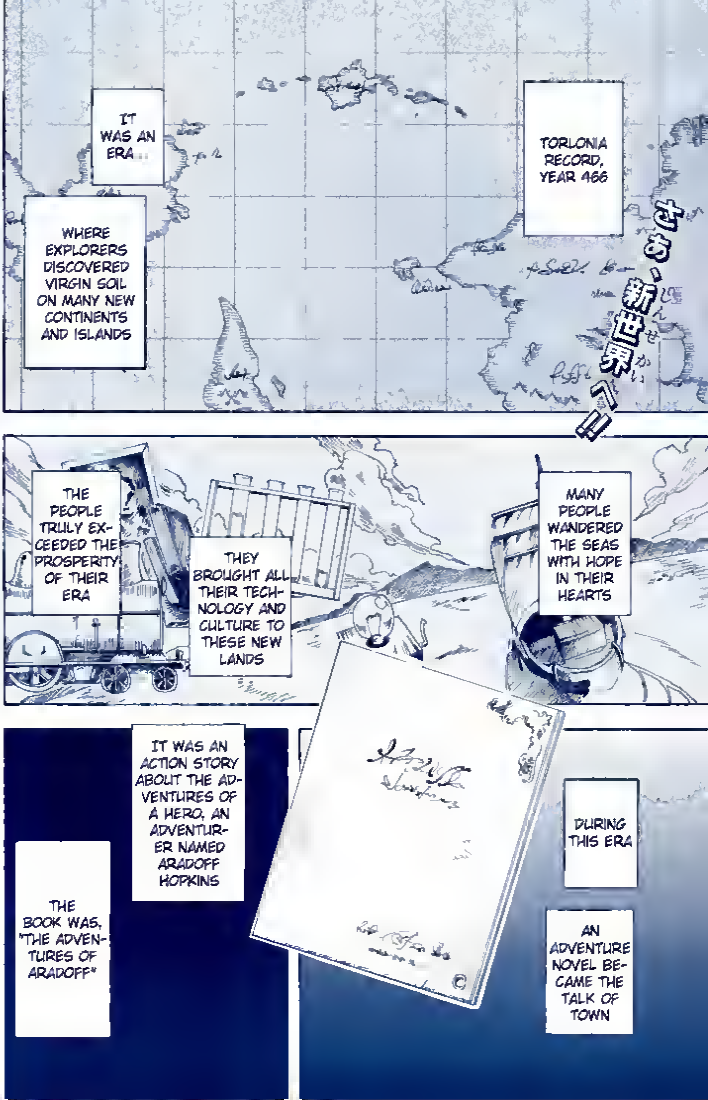
IT WAS AN ERA...
WHERE EXPLORERS DISCOVERED VIRGIN SOIL ON MANY NEW CONTINENTS AND ISLANDS
TORLONIA RECORD, YEAR 466
第一章 新世界へ
THE PEOPLE TRULY EXCEEDED THE PROSPERITY OF THEIR ERA
THEY BROUGHT ALL THEIR TECHNOLOGY AND CULTURE TO THESE NEW LANDS
MANY PEOPLE WANDERED THE SEAS WITH HOPE IN THEIR HEARTS
IT WAS AN ACTION STORY ABOUT THE ADVENTURES OF A HERO, AN ADVENTURER NAMED ARADOFF HOPKINS
THE BOOK WAS, "THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF"
DURING THIS ERA
AN ADVENTURE NOVEL BECAME THE TALK OF TOWN

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THE STORY WAS SURELY ALL FANTASY AND FICTION
WAIT, YOUNG MASTER!
STRADDLING GIANT BIRDS TO FLY ACROSS THE SKY
RETURN TO YOUR ROOM.
LOSING ONE'S WAY IN THE KINGDOM OF FAIRIES
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VISITING THE VALLEY OF DRAGONS
IT WAS A GRAND ADVENTURE THE LIKES OF A DREAM...!
YAHOO!
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グィーーン
REGARDLESS OF GENDER OR AGE
THE BOOK CHARMED ALL THEIR HEARTS
OOPSIE!

YUP, YUP
THIS IS A FINE DAY FOR A BEGINNING
THEN, 11 YEARS LATER...
HAHA!
RETURN TO YOUR ROOM, PLEASE!
YOUNG MASTER WILLIAM
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THIS MORNING!? WHY DO YOU HAVE SO MUCH ENERGY!?
THIS MORNING A BIT, HERE AND THERE.
スルスル
WAIT, WHEN DID YOU MAKE SOMETHING LIKE THAT...?
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TODAY... HAAA...
YOUR HOME TUTOR IS COMING, YOU KNOW...
IN FACT, RIGHT NOW...
HEY, CONNIE!

NO!!
NO WAY, CAN'T DO THAT!! I HAVE SOMETHING REAL IMPORTANT TO DO TODAY! NO WAY!!
THERE YOU GO AGAIN...
AHH!!
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YOU'RE ALWAYS, ALWAYS UP TO MISCHIEF...
COME ON, RETURN TO YOUR ROOM
ENOUGH, ALREADY, PLEASE...
OH NO, YOUNG MASTER!! LOOKS LIKE YOUR TEACHER JUST ARRIVED!
HURRY, BACK INTO THE HOUSE...!
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YOUNG MASTER! WE WILL GET BACK TO THAT IMPORTANT MATTER LATER!
YOU ALWAYS RUN AWAY AFTER SAYING THAT, SO JUST FOR TODAY, PLEASE
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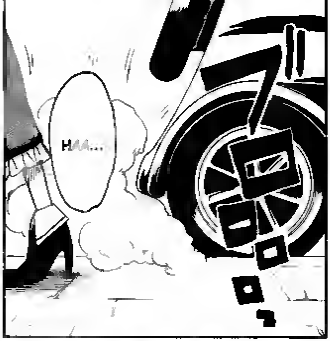
AHH!
AH!?


HAA...

WAIT WAIT WAIT...!!
WAIT A MINUTE, YOUNG MASTER...!!
Young Master!!

QUIT NAGGING...
AND DON'T FOLLOW ME
I'M THE ONE WHO'LL GET SCOLDED, YOU KNOW...
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YOU'RE PLAYING TRUANT AGAIN...
I'M BEGGING YOU, PLEASE, CAN YOU LISTEN TO ME JUST ONCE?

REAAALLY HAVE SOMETHING VEEERY IMPORTANT TO DO
NOBODY'S PLAYING WITH YOU!
I'M NOT PLAYING!!
LISTEN, CONNIE! TODAY, I...

HOW COULD I POSSIBLY LEAVE YOU!
I'M CHARGED WITH KEEPING AN EYE ON YOU, YOUNG MASTER WILLIAM, SO
EVEN IF YOU RUN OFF AND PLAY, I CAN'T TAKE MY EYES OFF YOU

DO YOU KNOW WHAT THIS IS!?
ISN'T THIS "THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF"?
EVERYBODY KNOWS THIS BOOK. IT WAS REALLY POPULAR A WHILE BACK.
THAT'S RIGHT!!
GUESS WHAT, CONNIE!
ONE DAY, I WILL HAVE A GRAND ADVENTURE TOO!!
I WILL MEET THE TRIBES THAT DANCE IN THE SKY, RIDING ON THE BACKS OF BIRDS TALLER THAN MEN
I WILL FIND THE KINGDOM OF THE FAIRIES
I WILL BEAT DOWN THE SCOUNDRELS WHO GO AFTER THE TREASURES!
ONE DAY, I WILL GO ON A JOURNEY LIKE THAT!!
A JOURNEY OF GRAND ADVENTURE THAT NOBODY HAS EVER SEEN OR HEARD OF. !!

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I'LL MEET THE MAN I ADMIRE THE MOST, ARADOFF HOPKINS!
THEN, ONE DAY, I WILL DEFINITELY...!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
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WAIT, WAIT, WAIT... WAIT, WAIT, YOUNG MASTER...?
OF COURSE HE EXISTS
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COULD IT BE, YOU ACTUALLY THINK THAT ARADOFF HOPKINS REALLY EXISTS?

HMM?

IT'S WRITTEN RIGHT THERE, "EVERYTHING IN THIS BOOK OF ADVENTURES ARE TRUE STORIES"
LOOK AT THIS! ON THE LAST PAGE OF THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF!

AHH!! CONNIE, YOU DON'T BELIEVE IT!?
AH, NO. I MEAN THIS IS PROBABLY ONLY A STORY BOOK, RIGHT...
HE EXISTS! ARADOFF IS REAL!!

TODAY, MY GOAL IS TO FIND OUT IF THIS IS TRUE
YOU KNOW SOMETHING, CONNIE?
ACTUALLY, THE BOOK WAS WRITTEN FROM HEARING ARADOFF SPEAK OF HIS ADVENTURES
AND IT SEEMS THE "WRITER" OF THE BOOK IS LIVING IN THIS TOWN RIGHT NOW...!
THE WRITER OF THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF IS "KAMKWAS HAIRO".
IN FACT, HE ACCOMPANIED ARADOFF ON HIS ADVENTURE, AND WAS ALSO HIS FRIEND, BUT...
BEFORE HE BECAME A "NOVELIST"...
HE WAS A GENIUS
HAIRO WAS A WRITER AND A SCIENTIST AT THE SAME TIME
AND AN ASTRONOMER, AND MATHEMATICIAN...
AT TIMES, HE'D ALSO BEEN A PHILOSOPHER AND A COMPOSER
HE WAS ALSO A DOCTOR, AND AN INVENTOR.
HE WAS AN UNBELIEVABLE GENIUS
IN FACT, HAIRO'S INVENTIONS...
HAVE CHANGED THE WORLD COUNTLESS OF TIMES...
SO THEN, THIS INCREDIBLE PERSON...
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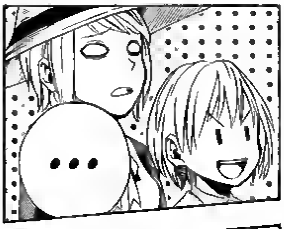
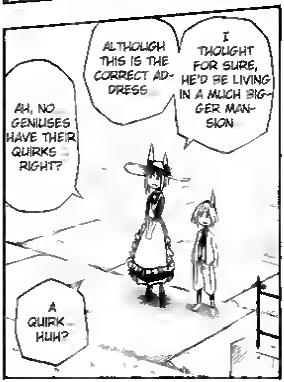
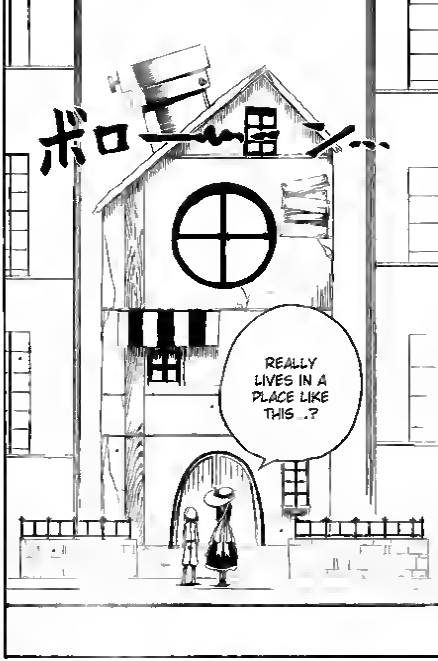



ALTHOUGH THIS IS THE CORRECT ADDRESS...
I THOUGHT FOR SURE, HE'D BE LIVING IN A MUCH BIGGER MANSION
AH, NO GENIUSES HAVE THEIR QUIRKS RIGHT?
A QUIRK... HUH?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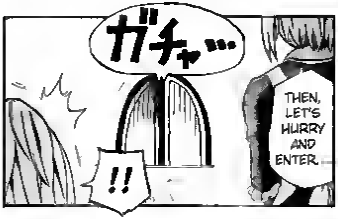
REALLY LIVES IN A PLACE LIKE THIS ..?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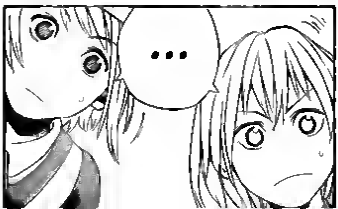
THEN, LET'S HURRY AND ENTER...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A, ANY-WAY!
WE JUST HAVE TO TALK TO THIS GUY AND FIND OUT IF THAT BOOK IS TRUTH OR FICTION!
LET'S GO, CONNIE!!
..WHEN YOU'RE FINISHED HERE, WE'LL RETURN TO THE MANSION, RIGHT?

HOO HOO HOO~
COME, MY DEAR FLOWERS!
AS USUAL, I'LL GIVE YOU PLENTY OF WATER TODAY!
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HOO HOOO HOO~
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HMM...
IT'LL BE BETTER IF I SANG A SONG, RIGHT
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WE'RE JUST A WEE BIT UNHAPPY TODAY, HM
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ジョオオオ...
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ガガーン!!
THIS IS KINDA BAD NEWS!
DON'T TELL ME, I HAVE VISITORS TODAY...
EHH?
AH, NO... IT COULD HAVE BEEN A MIS-TAKE...
H-HE HAS TO BE, RIGHT? HE LIVES HERE, AFTER ALL...
I-IS THAT THE KAMKWAS HAIRO WE WERE TALKING ABOUT EARLIER?
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SEE!!
THAT DIDN'T MAKE ANY SENSE
HE'S ALL WEIRD, RIGHT!!
HE'S DEFINITELY SOME KIND OF GENIUS, JUST LOOK AT HIM!
SEE, CONNIE! THAT IS DEFINITELY HAIRO!
DO YOU HAPPEN TO BE... KAMKWAS HAIRO... BY ANY CHANCE?
...UM-M ...HEY!
YUP, THAT'S ME

HEY, GRAMPS!!
THAT MEANS, YOU'RE THE WRITER OF THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF, RIGHT!
EVERYTHING IN THERE IS BASED ON TRUE STORIES, RIGHT!?
ARADOFF REALLY EXISTS, RIGHT!?
YUP
OF COURSE, EVERYTHING INSIDE IS TRUE
SEE!!
...

AND, OH YEAH! DO YOU HAVE SOME PROOF OF WHAT YOU'RE SAYING!?
THEN! WHERE IS ARADOFF RIGHT NOW!?
WAAH! Y-YOUNG MASTER, THAT'S QUITE RUDE ...!!
I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU JUST BASED ON WHAT YOU SAY, AFTER ALL!!

HEY, YOU'RE TELLING THE TRUTH, RIGHT!?
YUP! THE TRUTH, THE ABSOLUTE TRUTH, AND NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH
THE TRUTH, THE ABSOLUTE TRUTH, AND NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH, RIGHT!?

REALLY... I DON'T KNOW...
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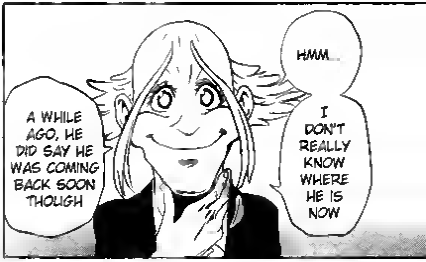
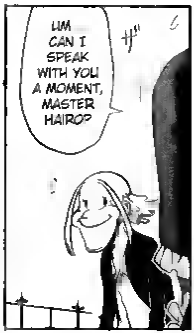

HMM... I DON'T REALLY KNOW WHERE HE IS NOW
A WHILE AGO, HE DID SAY HE WAS COMING BACK SOON THOUGH

HOW MUCH OF IT— IS TRUE?
—IN THINGS LIKE GIANT BIRDS AND FAIRIES...
I FIND IT REALLY HARD TO BELIEVE...


LIM CAN I SPEAK WITH YOU A MOMENT, MASTER HAIRO?

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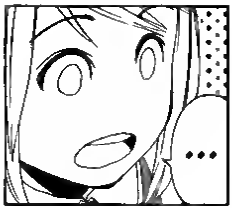
ALL OF IT IS TRUE
OF COURSE...
YOU'RE CONCERNED FOR MY YOUNG MASTER'S FEELINGS
I REALLY APPRECIATE THAT, BUT...
Hmm
Proof
Proof
COME AND READ THIS, PAGE 104, PARAGRAPH 3!
EH?
AH, RIGHT!
LISTEN TO ME FOR A SEC!
I'VE THOUGHT OF A WAY TO PROVE WHETHER THIS BOOK IS TRUTH OR FICTION!
CONNIE!
Sword
IF IT IS THAT'LL PROVE THIS WHOLE STORY IS TRUE, RIGHT?
WE JUST HAVE TO GO AND SEE IF THE SWORD IS REALLY THERE
A SWOR ENGRAVED WITH ARADOFF'S NAME WAS ERECTED THERE TO COMMEMORATE HIS ADVENTURES
THERE'S A SMALL MOUND BUILT ON A CAPE ALONG THE EASTERN COASTLINE
IT'S WRITTEN THERE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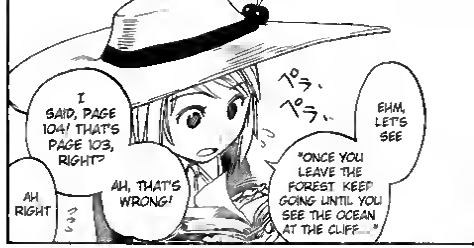
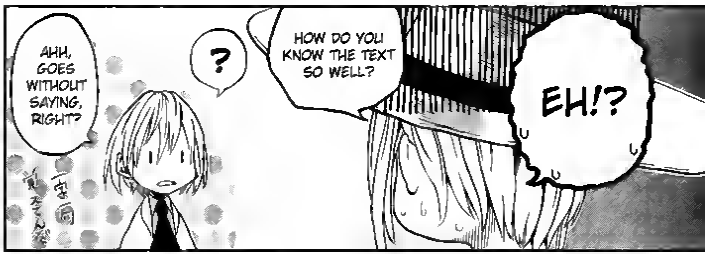

EHM, LET'S SEE
"ONCE YOU LEAVE THE FOREST KEEP GOING UNTIL YOU SEE THE OCEAN AT THE CLIFF..."
AH, THAT'S WRONG!
I SAID, PAGE 104! THAT'S PAGE 103, RIGHT?
AH RIGHT


EH!?
HOW DO YOU KNOW THE TEXT SO WELL?
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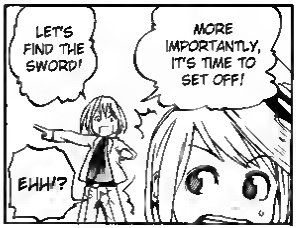
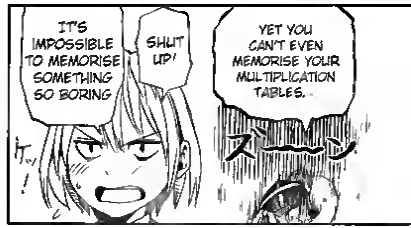
AHH, GOES WITHOUT SAYING, RIGHT?


MORE IMPORTANTLY, IT'S TIME TO SET OFF!
LET'S FIND THE SWORD!
EHH!?


YET YOU CAN'T EVEN MEMORISE YOUR MULTIPLICATION TABLES...
SHUT UP!
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO MEMORISE SOMETHING SO BORING

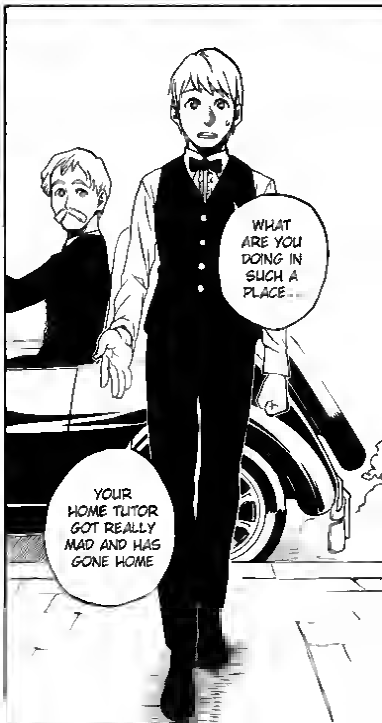
YOU DON'T MEAN RIGHT NOW, DO YOU!?
OF COURSE?
NO WAY! ABSOLUTELY NO WAY!! IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU RETURN TO THE MANSION!
WHAT THE HECK? YOU'RE GETTING STINGY IN YOUR OLD AGE!
EHH!? REALLY? WAIT, I'M NOT OLD!
IN THE FIRST PLACE, WE DON'T KNOW THE WAY...!

I don't remember about the sword though...
I'VE BEEN TO THAT CAPE ONCE BEFORE
Y... YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING! WE HAVE ONLY JUST MET TODAY...!!
UFUFUFU! I DON'T MIND AT ALL
EHH!?
IN THAT CASE, SHALL I SHOW YOU THE WAY?
GOING ON AN ADVENTURE?
AFTER ALL, IT'S KIND OF EXCITING, ISN'T IT?
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT, IT WILL BE MY VERY FIRST ADVENTURE!! IT'S THE START OF MY ADVENTURES TO CHASE ARADOFF!
NOW I'M REALLY EXCITED!!
THAT'S RIGHT... THAT'S RIGHT! IT'S AN ADVENTURE!!
Is it?
AN ADVENTURE...

AHH!! THERE YOU ARE!! I'VE BEEN LOOKING ALL OVER FOR YOU, YOUNG MASTER WILLIAM!!
ET'S OO~
ALL RIGHT!! I'M ALL READY!

SHALL WE RETURN TO THE MANSION TOGETHER?
COME ON, YOUR FATHER IS LOOKING FOR YOU TOO
...!

...
LET'S GO HOME FOR TODAY
...I GUESS THAT'S IT


WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN SUCH A PLACE...
YOUR HOME TUTOR GOT REALLY MAD AND HAS GONE HOME

I CAN'T DO THAT..
EH?
WHEN IT HAPPENS, I'LL DEFINITELY COME WITH YOU, SO
...
DON'T WORRY, I'M SURE YOU'LL GET A CHANCE TO GO ON AN ADVENTURE ANOTHER DAY
...
WHEN THE TIME CALLS FOR ONE TO DO SOMETHING, AND IT MUST BE DONE RIGHT AWAY
SO
YOUNG MASTER ?
THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF, PAGE 71, PARAGRAPH 6. IT'S WRITTEN ..
THERE ARE TIMES IN ONE'S LIFE WHEN YOU JUST CAN'T STOP .
RUN, CONNIE!!
...
I WILL NOT BE STOPPED ANY MORE!
I'M FINALLY STARTING TO FULFIL MY DREAMS ..!
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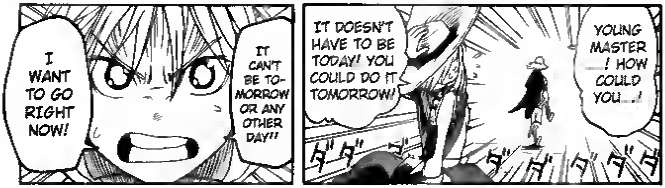
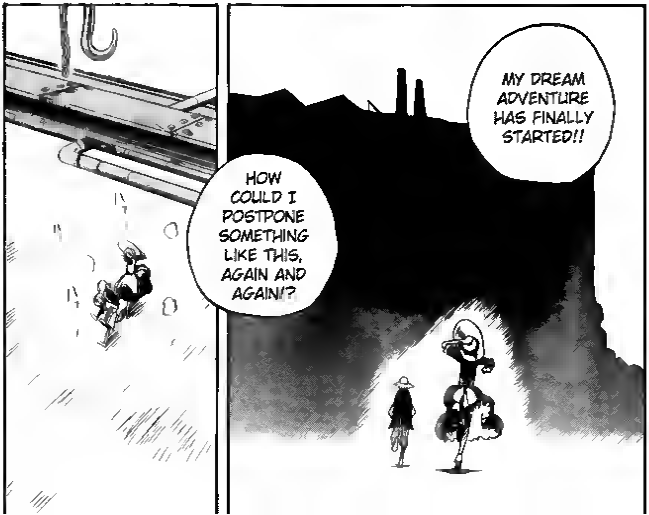
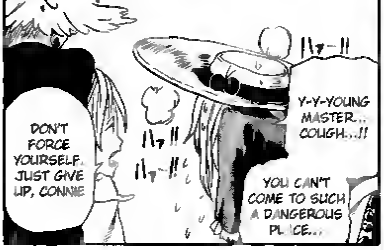
WAIT WAIT WAIT
WAIT A MINUTE!
EEH!!?
What's going on!?
YOUNG MASTER!?
WAIT, WAIT... WAIT UP, YOUNG MASTER!
JUST CALM DOWN FIRST...
OH MY! THIS IS FUN!
YOU BE QUIET, GRAMPS
EHH!?
ARE THERE ANY TRAINS HEADING TO THE EAST RIGHT NOW!?
CONNIE!

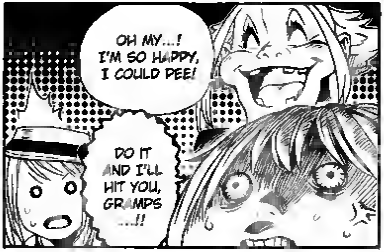
WHAT'S GOING ON!?
I'M NOT SURE, BUT JUST GO AFTER THEM!
...
BUT, I BELIEVE THERE'S A TRUCK HEADING TO THE EAST NOT FAR AHEAD, RIGHT~
N... NO, THERE AREN'T ANY TRAINS!!

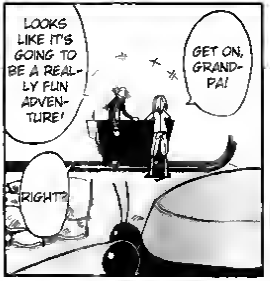

I WANT TO GO RIGHT NOW!
IT CAN'T BE TOMORROW OR ANY OTHER DAY!!
IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE TODAY! YOU COULD DO IT TOMORROW!
YOUNG MASTER...! HOW COULD YOU...!


HOW COULD I POSTPONE SOMETHING LIKE THIS, AGAIN AND AGAIN!?
MY DREAM ADVENTURE HAS FINALLY STARTED!!


DON'T FORCE YOURSELF. JUST GIVE UP, CONNIE
Y-Y-YOUNG MASTER... COUGH...!!
YOU CAN'T COME TO SUCH A DANGEROUS PLACE...

THE TRUCK IS THAT WAY!


OH MY...! I'M SO HAPPY, I COULD PEE!
DO IT AND I'LL HIT YOU, GRAMPS ...!!


LOOKS LIKE IT'S GOING TO BE A REALLY FUN ADVENTURE!
GET ON, GRANDPA!
RIGHT?

LOOK!! THEY'RE HERE TO PICK YOU UP, YOUNG MASTER! YOU CAN'T PRETEND TO IGNORE THEM ANY MORE!!
THERE'S NO POINT STAYING IN SUCH A DANGEROUS PLACE ANY LONGER LET'S RETURN TO THE MANSION IMMEDIATELY!!

YOUNG MASTER!! WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE!
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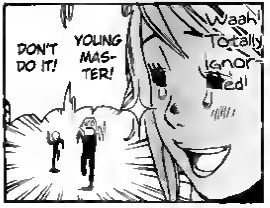
AHH, THERE HE IS!
COME BACK, PLEASE, YOUNG MASTER!


DON'T DO IT!
YOUNG MASTER!
Waah! Totally ignored!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING, CONNIE!
COME OVER, QUICKLY!
HOW... HOW CAN I.
WHAT SHOULD I DO...
BUT, RIGHT NOW, MY RESPONSIBILITY IS THE YOUNG MASTER'S SAFETY
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KYAAAAAAA!
GYAAA!?
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NOT BAD, CONNIE!
OH MY GOD!!
SORRY! SORRY! SORRY!
I'M SORRY~!!
RIGHT THEN!
LET'S GO!!
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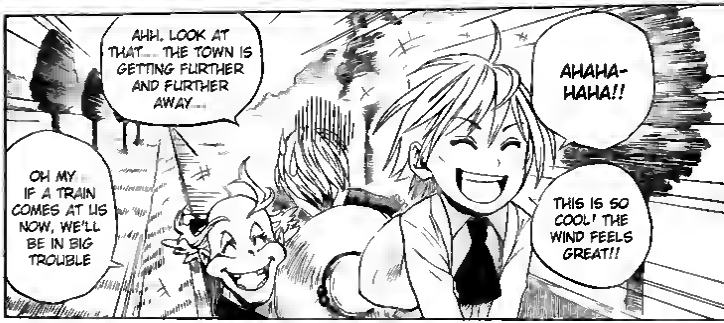
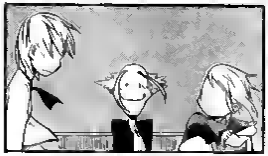

AHAHA-HAHA!!
THIS IS SO COOL! THE WIND FEELS GREAT!!
AHH. LOOK AT THAT... THE TOWN IS GETTING FURTHER AND FURTHER AWAY...
OH MY... IF A TRAIN COMES AT US NOW, WE'LL BE IN BIG TROUBLE



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NO WAY!?
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THIS TRACK ISN'T USED MUCH ANY MORE
I'M SURE IT'S FINE
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AS LONG AS WE DON'T JOIN THE MAIN TRACKS, WE'LL BE
GACHA!
…ォォォ…ォ

THE TRAIN!
IT'S RIGHT IN FRONT OF US!
WHERE IS THE BRAKE!?
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WE WON'T MAKE IT!!
WE'RE FINISHED!
HOLD ON TIGHT!!
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HUH?
WHAAT!?
ZURYAAA!

INCREDIBLE!! CONNIE, THAT WAS INCREDIBLE!!
...I, I THOUGHT... WE WERE ALL GOING TO DIE...
ズバーン!!
WHOAA!
NOW THAT WE'VE LOST THE TRUCK, WHAT'LL WE DO? IT'S STILL A LONG WAY TO GO, RIGHT?
AHH, BY THE WAY,
YOU STILL WANT TO GO ON AFTER ALL THAT!?
EH!?
...DON'T GIVE IT A FUNNY NAME AND CALL IT REPEATEDLY, PLEASE.
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AN INSTANT KILL TECHNIQUE!?
WHAT WAS THAT!?
THE CONNIE SPECIAL IS SUPER COOL!
IT'S THE CONNIE SPECIAL, RIGHT!?
IS IT THE CONNIE SPECIAL!?
...
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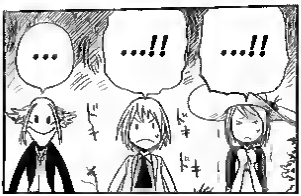
CRACK
CRACK
CRASH!
CRACK...!
AH, YES, BUT WE'VE GOTTEN THIS FAR, SO IT'S NOT MUCH WE CAN WALK FURTHER THERE

BEAR!!
WHAT THE HECK!? HOW CAN A BEAR JUST APPEAR LIKE THAT!
SOMETHING IS PROBABLY NOT RIGHT, BUT WHO CARES? JUST RUN FOR IT!!
AHH! OH, NO, YOUNG MASTER!
WHAT ABOUT MASTER HAIRO!?
EH!?
WE CAN HIDE HERE~!
YOU! HOW'D YOU RUN SO FAST!?
CRAP! WE FORGOT ABOUT HIM!!
GRAMPS!



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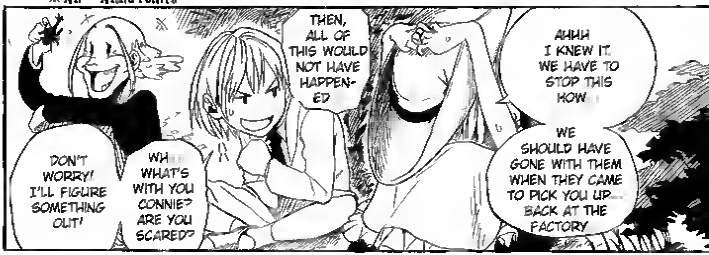
DON'T WORRY! I'LL FIGURE SOMETHING OUT!
WH... WHAT'S WITH YOU CONNIE? ARE YOU SCARED?
THEN, ALL OF THIS WOULD NOT HAVE HAPPENED
AHHH I KNEW IT. WE HAVE TO STOP THIS NOW
WE SHOULD HAVE GONE WITH THEM WHEN THEY CAME TO PICK YOU UP... BACK AT THE FACTORY

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!
HEY, LOOK! CONNIE!
EH!?
LOOK OVER THERE! THERE'S A CRACK THERE!
IF WE JUMP ACROSS THAT CRACK, WE'LL BE SAFE!!
BEARS ARE GOOD AT CLIMBING TREES, BUT THEY'RE NO GOOD WITH UNEVEN GROUND...
IT IS WRITTEN IN THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF, PAGE 211, PARAGRAPH 13...!!
WAIT, WAIT, WAIT...!
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WAIT A MINUTE...!
THAT'S WAY TOO DANGEROUS!!
DON'T DO IT!
PLEASE STOP THIS, YOUNG MASTER...!!
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WAIT A MINUTE, YOUNG MASTER!!
AHH!
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RUN FOR IT!!

ALL RIGHT!
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PER-FECT!
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JUMP!
GOT IT!?
?!
YOUNG MAS-TER!!
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ザブン
ザブン
パシッ!!

...ARE YOU ALL RIGHT? YOUNG MASTER...
ARE YOU HURT?
HA...
HA...
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H...
HAA...
AHA HAHAHA HAHAHA HAHA HA!!
AHHA HAHAHA HAHAHA HAHA!!
AHHAHA HAHAHAHA HAHA!!
...
I FEEL AS IF I'M THE HERO OF THE STORY!
THIS IS SO COOL!!
IT'S EXACTLY LIKE A GRAND ADVENTURE IN THE BOOK!!
THAT WAS A SUPER COOL CLOSE CALL!!
DID YOU SEE THAT, CONNIE!?

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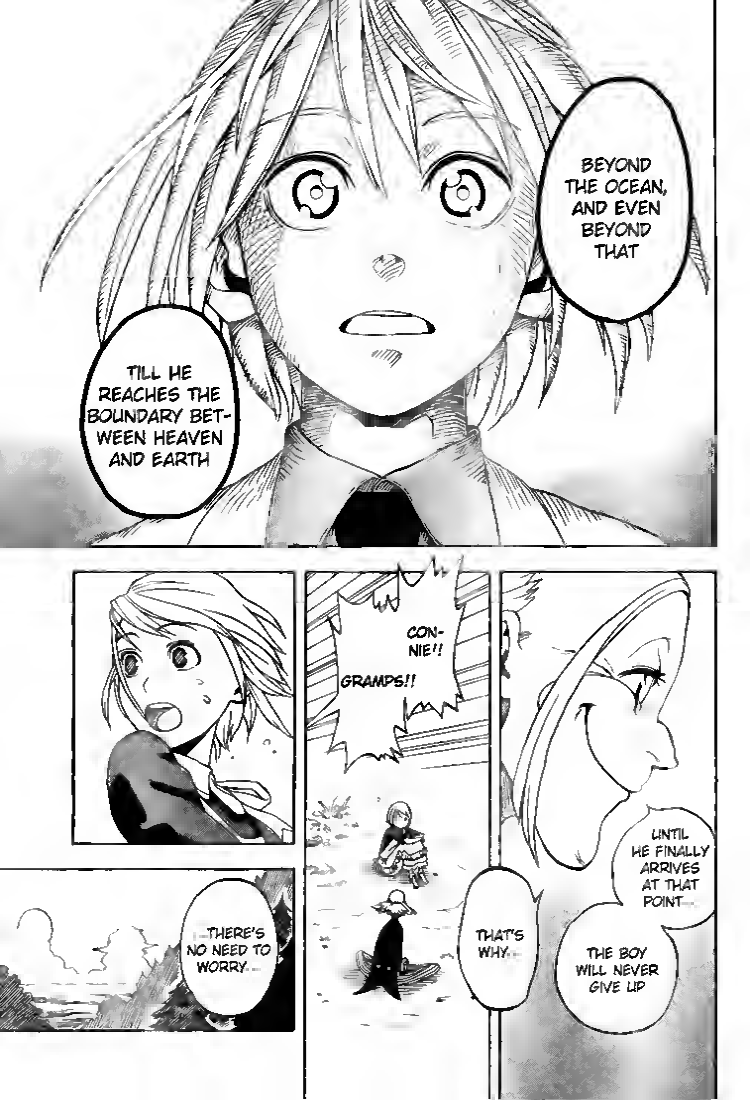
EHH.
OW...
...
...!!
YOU CALL THIS A GRAND ADVEN-TURE?

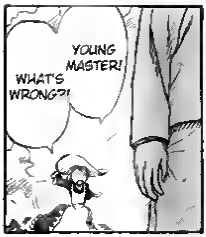
MAKING OTHERS WORRY ABOUT YOU...! WHAT IS SO GREAT ABOUT THAT...!?
WHAT'S SO FUN ABOUT GETTING INTO DANGER LIKE THAT...?
YOUNG MASTER, YOU ARE VERY IMPORTANT TO ME...!
DON'T EVER FORGET THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO CARE ABOUT YOU!!
IF YOU HAD BEEN BADLY INJURED...
WHAT'LL I DO...!!
FANTASY, YOU SAY...
GETTING INTO ALL THIS DANGER FOR THE SAKE OF CHASING A FANTASY...
...!!
...BECAUSE YOU'RE A BOY...
I CAN'T TELL YOU NOT TO DREAM, BUT...!

THERE'S NO SUCH PERSON AS ARADOFF!
NO SUCH THING AS A KINGDOM OF FAIRIES!!
THAT BOOK IS A PIECE OF FICTION!!
DRAGONS ONLY EXIST IN YOUR IMAGINATION!!
NO SUCH THING AS BIRDS THAT PEOPLE CAN RIDE ON...
SHUT UP!!
STOP THIS FOOLISHNESS RIGHT NOW..
IT'S TIME TO RETURN TO THE MANSION, PLEASE!!
THERE'S NO PURPOSE IN DOING ANY OF THIS!!
SHUT UP
...!!
DON'T TELL ME THIS IS FOOLISHNESS...!!
MY WISHES WILL NEVER COME TRUE BACK HOME! THAT'S WHY I CAME HERE...!!

YEAH
IT'LL BE A GREAT FIND, HM?
YES, THE SEA IS JUST THERE...
IT'S NOT FAR FROM HERE, RIGHT?
I'LL FIND THE SWORD...
...
YOU CAN'T SAY THINGS TO A BOY THAT'LL SNATCH AWAY HIS HERO
!
...
I'M JUST REALLY WORRIED ABOUT THE YOUNG MASTER
WHAT SHOULD I DO ABOUT THAT...?
...
BUT...

BECAUSE, IT LOOKS LIKE, HE HAD ALREADY...
...BECOME A GREAT ADVENTURER A LONG TIME AGO
THERE'S NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT THOUGH
??
THAT'S RIGHT
THE WIND SUMMONS THEM
THE EARTH SUMMONS
THE WIND ...?
THE WIND SUMMONS THEM
THEY CAN'T BE STOPPED...
YOU KNOW, GUYS LIKE HIM...
AND...
HE'LL PASS OVER VALLEYS AND RIVERS AND MOUNTAINS AND PLAINS
HE'LL GO TO LANDS NEVER BEFORE DISCOVERED
THE BOY CAN NO LONGER STOP WALKING


BEYOND THE OCEAN, AND EVEN BEYOND THAT
TILL HE REACHES THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN HEAVEN AND EARTH
CONNIE!!
GRAMPS!!
UNTIL HE FINALLY ARRIVES AT THAT POINT...
THAT'S WHY...
THE BOY WILL NEVER GIVE UP
...THERE'S NO NEED TO WORRY...


YOUNG MASTER!
WHAT'S WRONG?!

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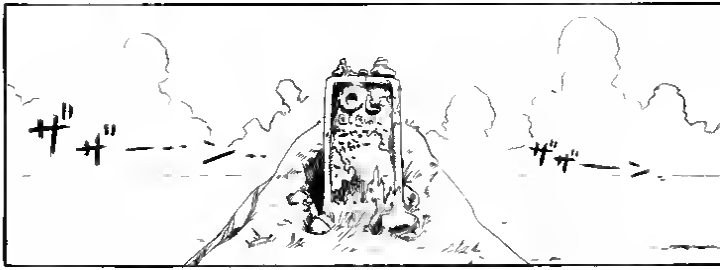
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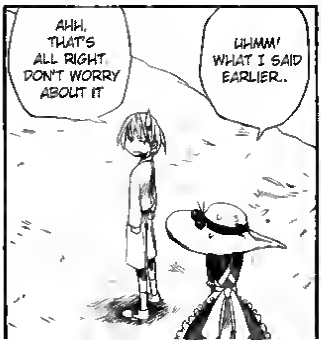
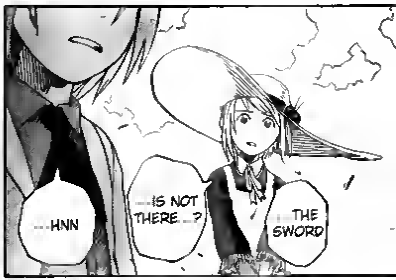

AHH, THAT'S ALL RIGHT. DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT
UHMM' WHAT I SAID EARLIER..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IS NOT THERE..?
THE SWORD

BUT, NOW...
IT'S FINALLY ALL CLEAR
I THOUGHT THAT IF I BELIEVED IN IT, EVEN FICTION CAN BECOME REALITY...
BECAUSE I REALLY LOVED THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF...
BUT, I DIDN'T WANT TO BELIEVE IT
EVEN IF YOU HADN'T SAID ANYTHING... I KNEW IT
I'LL ALSO CURB MY MISCHIEF TO THREE TIMES A DAY
I WON'T GET INTO FIGHTS, I WON'T TALK ABOUT MY LIKES OR DISLIKES
I'LL LISTEN TO EVERYTHING YOU SAY
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I'M GOING TO STUDY HARD
STARTING FROM TOMORROW, CONNIE
...
BUT!
I'LL REMEMBER MY ETIQUETTE AND MANNERS LIKE MY LIFE DEPENDS ON IT
STARTING TOMORROW, I WILL GRAPPLE WITH MY MATH TEXTBOOKS
AND LEAD THAT LITTERLY BORING LIFE
ANYWAY, I'LL BECOME A RESPECTABLE ADULT LIKE MY FATHER.
THE ADVENTURES OF A CHILD ARE OVER

THANKS, CONNIE!!
THIS WAS THE BEST DAY EVER...!!
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...!!
YOU'RE WELCOME ...!
NO PROB-LEM.
SUCH A LITTLE THING
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...LET'S GO HOME, SHALL WE?
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...
YEAH

OH MY~ YOU DIDN'T HAVE GO OUT OF YOUR WAY TO WALK ME HOME, THANK YOU!
I'LL GO MAKE US SOME DELICIOUS COFFEE
WHAT A DIRTY ROOM.
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AHH...
SOME KIND OF HANGER
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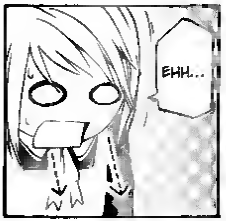
HAAA
I'M EX-HAUSTED
GEEZ
...
EH?
AHH, THAT? I PICKED IT UP SOME TIME AGO I'VE BEEN USING IT AS A HANGER
UWAH! WHAT IS THIS!?
WHAT'S WRONG?
HOW CAN YOU USE SOMETHING SO DANGEROUS AS A HANGER, MASTER HAIRO!
ガシャン!
KYA!!
?

MASTER HAIRO...
BY THE WAY, WHERE DID YOU PICK THIS UP FROM?
AHH, FROM THE CAPE WE ALL WENT TO TODAY
WHEN I WENT THERE A LONG TIME AGO, IT LOOKED PRETTY SO I BROUGHT IT HOME

HUH?
Y-Y-YOUNG MASTER!!


EHH...

EHH?
COME TO THINK OF IT, WHAT WAS THE REASON WE WENT THERE TODAY...?

THIS...

...
ARA... DOFF...??
OI, THIS...
UWAAA!!
WHAT THE HELL IS THAT!!
ピク!
IT'S COMING HERE!!
UWA!? WHAT THE!?
...!!
THAT'S INCRE-DIBLE!!
I'VE NEVER SEEN SUCH A BIG ONE!!
WAAH! LOOK OUT..!?
...
WH-WHAT'S THAT? WHAT?
AHH, ENOUGH! SHUT UP ALREADY!
WAIT A SEC!! ARE YOU GOING IN THERE!?
OUT OF MY WAY!!

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OOH!! GRAMPS, YOU STILL ALIVE?
I'M HERE TO DELIVER A LETTER!
GEEZ, THAT NO GOOD FELLA.
ALWAYS ASKING FOR SUCH BOTHER-SOME FA-VOURS
WHAT DOES HE TAKE ME FOR, A POSTMAN?
KYUU~
♡
WHA..
WHAT!!?
YOU'RE WEL-COME
OH MY~ THANK YOU
チャリ♪

UFUFU...
HERE'S A RARE LETTER FROM THAT MAN
"MY DEAR KAMKWAS HAIRO..."
...!!
TALLER THAN A MAN...
A GIANT BIRD...!!
"QUITE A LONG TIME HAS PASSED SINCE I TOLD YOU I'D WRITE TO YOU."
"I HOPE THIS LETTER FINDS YOU WELL. I'M FINE, AS ALWAYS, SO DON'T WORRY."
"I JUST GOT BACK TO THE NEIGHBOURHOOD, BUT, SORRY... IT'LL BE A WHILE BEFORE I RETURN TO WHERE YOU ARE."
"I'VE DISCOVERED SOMETHING REALLY INCREDIBLE AGAIN..."
"MY HANDS ARE ALREADY FULL WITH THESE ADVENTURES..."
OI
THAT LETTER IS FROM...!!
"YET, THIS WORLD IS STILL..."
"... FULL OF UNDISCOVERED CREATURES I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT."
"THEY'RE EVERYWHERE, I'M SURE OF IT."

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...
...
"I'VE FOUND A NEW CONTINENT."
"I'LL HAVE TO GIVE IT A NAME..."
"IF YOU THINK OF SOMETHING GOOD, LET ME KNOW."
"ONCE I'VE SETTLED DOWN, I'LL WRITE TO YOU AGAIN. I THINK."
!
DID YOU HEAR THAT, CONNIE?
ARADOFF REALLY EXISTS...!!
...
IT'S A LETTER FROM ARA-DOFF!
HOW ABOUT THAT... I TOLD YOU SO!
IT'S NOT FANTASY AFTER ALL...!!
THERE ARE SUCH INCREDIBLE THINGS IN THE WORLD!!
...
YOU SAW THAT GIANT BIRD, RIGHT!?
"ARADOFF HOPKINS."

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THE KINGDOM OF FAIRIES, AND THE VALLEY OF DRAGONS, ARE ALL REAL!
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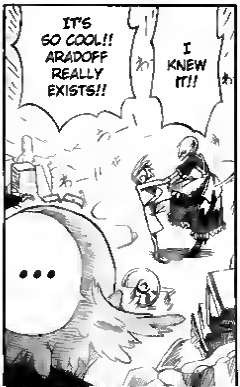
ARADOFF'S ADVENTURES ARE ALL...!!
THEY ARE ALL REAL!!


IT'S SO COOL!! ARADOFF REALLY EXISTS!!
I KNEW IT!!
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...!!
YES!

HEY...
カサ-
WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT THAT?
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わ~!!
11 YEARS AFTER THE ADVENTURES OF ARADOFF WAS PUBLISHED
A LITTLE ADVENTURER WAS BORN ON THE CONTINENT OF TORLONIA
AFTER THAT, 11 YEARS LATER...
AN ADVENTURE NOVEL BECAME THE TALK OF TOWN, ON THE NEW CONTINENT OF NEW TORLONIA
WHAT KIND OF STORY...
...WILL HE GIVE US, I WONDER...?
THE BOOK'S TITLE IS...
"WILLIAMS"
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